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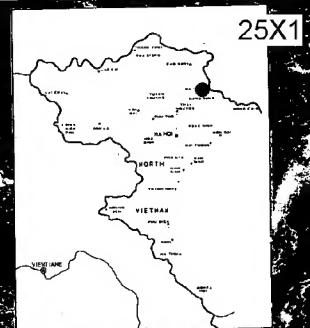
**SA-3 SAM SUPPORT FACILITY
PA LAY, NORTH VIETNAM
21-57-00N 106-21-10E**

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SA-3 CANISTER TRANSPORTERS

MISSILE CHECK-OUT TENT

SA-3 CANISTERS



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SA-3 SAM SUPPORT FACILITY
PA LAY, NORTH VIETNAM

1. SIGNIFICANCE: IDENTIFICATION OF A NEW SA-3 SAM SUPPORT
FACILITY NEAR THE CHINA-NORTH VIETNAM BORDER.

2. LOCATION: PA LAY SA-3 SAM SUPPORT FACILITY
IS 1.4 NAUTICAL MILES (NM) WEST-SOUTHWEST OF
PA LAY AND 20 NM WEST OF THE CHINA-NORTH VIETNAM
BORDER NEAR DONG DANG AT 21-57-00N 106-21-10E.

3. REMARKS: SA-3 MISSILE EQUIPMENT WAS FIRST IDENTIFIED
IN NORTH VIETNAM ON
ON THAT DATE, APPROXIMATELY 118 SA-3 CANISTERS
WERE STOCKPILED AT DONG DANG TRUCK PARK #2
, 19 NM EAST OF THE NEW SA-3
SAM SUPPORT FACILITY.

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4. NEGATION: FOUR SQUAD TENTS AND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT
(MAINLY CARGO TRUCKS) WERE OBSERVED AT THE
LOCATION OF THE NEW SA-3 SAM SUPPORT FACILITY

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CANISTERS WERE OBSERVED.

5. MISSION READOUT: THE NEWLY IDENTIFIED, FIELD-DEPLOYED SA-3 SAM SUPPORT FACILITY IS SURROUNDED BY HILLS ON THREE SIDES AND IS ROAD SERVED BY AN UNNUMBERED ROUTE CONNECTED TO HIGHWAY 1B.

THE FACILITY CONSISTS OF ONE MISSILE-CHECKOUT TENT, (ANNOTATED ON GRAPHIC), FOUR SQUAD TENTS, A VEHICLE PARKING AREA, AND A PROBABLE OXIDIZER TANK STORAGE AREA. TWENTY-TWO SA-3 CANISTERS AND THREE SA-3 CANISTER TRANSPORTERS WERE OBSERVED (ANNOTATED ON GRAPHIC).

OTHER EQUIPMENT PRESENT INCLUDED SEVEN PROBABLE OXIDIZER TANKS, TWO PROBABLE KRAZ-214 CARGO TRUCKS, TWO PROBABLE CARGO TRUCKS, TWO PROBABLE VANS, ONE PROBABLE VAN TRUCK, ONE POSSIBLE UTILITY VEHICLE AND ONE PROBABLE K-51/61 TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE.

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ENLARGEMENT FACTOR: 60X

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